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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to an office action that was mailed on July 2, 2004 and set a shortened statutory period for response that expired on October 2, 2004. A request for a two-month extension of time is submitted herewith. In view of the following amendments and remarks, reconsideration is respectfully requested.

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